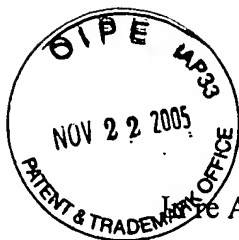


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Customer No. 22,852  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of:

ECHTLER, Sigmund

Application No.: 10/815,928

Filed: April 2, 2004

For: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR FIXING AT LEAST  
ONE FLEXIBLE FABRIC AS WELL AS HOUSING  
RAIL FOR A FILLER SECTION

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**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

In reply to the Office Action mailed June 27, 2005, the period for response having been extended to November 27, 2005 (a Sunday), by a request for extension of two-month and authorization for the Commissioner to charge the fee of \$450.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-0916, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper beginning on page 2.

**Amendments to the Figures** are reflected on page 5 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper beginning on page 6.

**Attachments** to this amendment include:

An annotated drawing sheet for Figure 1 and a replacement drawing sheet for Figure 1.

Two certified priority documents.